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RESPONSE TO THE DECISION FOR PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF AN UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED CLAIM FOR PRIORITY

The Applicants respectfully petition for Acceptance of an Unintentionally Delayed Claim for Priority. A new amendment is enclosed claiming priority to the Provisional Application (Serial Number 60/234,751 filed September 25, 2000.) The Application was filed within one year of the filing of the Provisional Application. In addition, a Statement by Robert Chin is attached stating that the entire delay in claiming priority in above referenced application to the Provisional application (60/234,751) between the date the claim would have been due under CFR 1.78(a)(5) and the date of the filing of the claim was unintentional. The entire delay in claiming priority in above referenced application to the Provisional application (60/234,751) between the date the claim would have been due under CFR 1.78(a)(5) and the date of the filing of the claim was unintentional. This statement is in accordance with the requirements of CFR 1.78(a)(6)(ii).

The Decision objected to the language of the priority claim included in the previous amendment. That language has been amended in the enclosed amendment. In addition, the Decision required a statement. That statement is provided by Robert Chin, who filed the present application.

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The Applicants previously submitted a fee of \$1,300.00 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.17(t) for the Acceptance of an Unint intionally Delayed Claim for Priority. The Applications have provided the required Amendment and Statement. As such, the Applicants respectfully request allowance of the Claim for Priority and the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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